

Established February, 1845.

PRICE \$2 PER MONTH

Notices of Firms

NOTICE.

MR. JULIUS KRAMER has been Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm since the 1st of JANUARY, 1892.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, March 17, 1892. 512

NOTICE.

MR. OSCAR VON DER HEYDE has

NER in our Firm.
MR. HUGO FRIEDRICH HEERMANN is authorized to Sign per procuration.
 Cms. J. GAUFF & Co.
 Hongkong, March 1, 1892. 470

NOTICE.

THE style of the Firm of FOATE and J. NOBLE, DENTAL SURGEONS, has been changed to "J. D. L. W. NOBLE," and will be represented as under—
JOSEPH W. NOBLE (Hongkong and
HERBERT D. REQUA Singapore,
CHAR. L. SNYDER 25, Brook St.,
 Grosvenor
HERBERT FOATE Square,
 London, W.

Hongkong, February 27, 1892. 401

NOTICE.

WE Have This Day authorized Mr. **CARL WILHELM LONGUET** to Sign our Firm per procuration.

KRUSE & Co.

Hongkong, March 1, 1882. **413**

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED
FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.
 The Co.'s Steamship
Balcong,
 Captain ROACH, will be
 despatched for the above
 Ports on **SATURDAY, the 19th Instant, at**
3 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARAIE & Co.,
General Managers.
 Hongkong, March 17, 1892 516


FOR SHANGHAI.
 The Steamship
Peking.
 Captain F. SCHURZ, will
 be despatched for the
 above Port on **SATURDAY, the 19th Inst.**



at 4 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, March 17, 1892. **513**

**FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND
CALCUTTA.**

The Steamship
Lightning,
Captain J. G. BRANCE,



will be despatched for the above Ports on **SATURDAY, the 19th** instant, at 4 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents
Hongkong, March 17, 1892. 505

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.


FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
The Co.'s Steamship
Aitohama Maru,
Captain J. B. Price, will
be despatched for the
above Ports on SATURDAY, the 19th Inst.,
at 4 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, March 14, 1892. 502

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP
COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.
The Co.'s Steamship
Zuyiko,
Captain CORRIAN, will be
despatched for the above
ports on SATURDAY, the 19th Instant, at
p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN & Co.,
General Managers.
 Hongkong, March 16, 1882.

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS
 FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND
 YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship
Thornville
 Capt. F. H. HARRISON, will
 be despatched as above



Mails.

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
CAQUEBOTS-POSTE FRANCAIS.
STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
COLOMBO, ADEN, SUETZ,
PORT SAID,
MEDITERRANEAN AND
BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA,
MARSEILLES, AND PORTS
OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;
ALSO
LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 23rd March, 1892, at Noon, the Company's S.S. *OLUS*, Commandant CHATELAIN, with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPOKES, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.
Cargo and Spokes will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.
Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Spokes and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 23rd March, 1892. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and value of Packages are required.
For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.
G. D. CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, March 9, 1892. 471

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH
AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN
FRANCISCO.

Proposed sailings from Hongkong, China, on WEDNESDAY, March 23, City of Peking, on SATURDAY, April 16.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship *CHINA* will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via YOKOHAMA, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd March, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States and Europe.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS.
To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimaux, New Westminster, Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Ore., San Francisco, N.Y., \$225.00
To Liverpool and London, \$232.00
To Havre and Bremen, \$234.00
Through Passage Tickets granted to English, French, and German by all transatlantic lines of Steamers.
RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND CITIES, FIRST CLASS.

DESTINATION.	30 day Ticket.	60 day Ticket.	90 day Ticket.
Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, Neb.	285.00		
St. Louis, Mo.	292.50	291.50	
St. Paul, Minn., Milwaukee, Wis., Chicago, Ill.	292.00		
Minneapolis, Wis., St. Paul, Minn., Chicago, Ill.	297.50	295.00	
Cincinnati, Ohio.	302.50	301.50	
Columbus, Ohio.	304.00	304.00	
Detroit, Mich.	304.90	304.70	
Cleveland, Ohio.	306.50	306.00	
Pittsburg, Penn.	309.90	307.45	
Toronto, Canada.	310.25	307.00	
Niagara Falls, N.Y., Buffalo, N.Y., Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md., New York, N.Y.	311.90	308.50	
more, Mo.	317.90	311.75	
Montreal, Canada.	319.75	313.00	
Philadelphia, Penn.	319.75	312.50	
New York, N.Y.	319.75	312.00	
Boston, Mass.	321.15	317.00	
Portland, Maine.	327.25	317.00	

All the above Rates are in Mexican Dollars.
Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navy, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.
Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific railways.
Return Tickets.—First Class.—Prepaid return tickets to San Francisco will be issued at following rates:—
4 months \$337.50
12 months \$337.50
Time is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarkation at San Francisco.
Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10% from Return Fare. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.
Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.
Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.
Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.
For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.
J. S. VAN BUREN,
Agent.
Hongkong, February 9, 1892. 264

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor any other person, will be responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officer or Crew of the following vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:
JOHN WATSON, German barque, Capt. G. Schneider.—Steamer & Co.
Wm. H. Smith, American ship, Capt. R. B. Brown.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Mails.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'s
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE,
CHINA AND JAPAN.

Proposed sailings from Hongkong, 1892.
(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)
Empress of Japan, Tuesday, March 22.
Empress of China, Saturday, April 16.
Empress of India, Saturday, May 7.

THE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Lieut. G. A. Lee, R.N.R., Commandant, sailing at Noon on TUESDAY, the 20th March, 1892, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, and SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
(In Mexican Dollars).
From Hongkong, First Class.

TO		One way Fare.	14 Mos.
Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimaux, New Westminster, B.C.			
Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Wash.	225	338	3
Portland, Ore., San Francisco, Cal.			
Boston, C. Mass.	255	362	4
Winnipeg, Man.	275	413	4
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth Minn.	285	428	4
Chicago, Ill., Kansas City, St. Louis, Mo.	106	443	5
Milwaukee, Wis.			
Detroit, Mich., Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, O			
Hamilton, London, Toronto, Ont.	305	458	5
Buffalo, Niagara Falls N.Y.			
Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Montreal, Quebec, Que			
New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, N.Y.			
Baltimore, Md., Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Pa.	311	465	5
Washington, D.C., Boston, Mass., Portland Me.			
Halifax, N.S., St. John, N.B.			
Liverpool, and London via Liverpool	326	670	5
Paris via Liverpool and London	345		
Havre, via Liverpool	335		
Bremen	335		
Hamburg	345		

30 days' sight, private paper	74.72
Gold List, 100 fine (per tael)	\$55.6
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)	\$ 6

